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FINE MEETING.

Paper on the "History of Hindoo Medicine."

The regular monthly meeting of the Osler Society was held on Monday evening, February 6th, at Dr. Whitnall's residence. The guests of the evening were Dr. Bazin and Dr. Patch. Mr. Stewart Henry read an excellent paper on "The History of Hindoo Medicine," a brief outline of which is given below.

The source of our knowledge of Hindoo Medicine is to be found in the great amount of Sanskrit literature, especially in the ancient Vedas, or sacred writings of the Brahmins. They showed that the history of medicine is divisible into three periods—(1) A Vedic Period, from the migration of the Hindoos into the Punjab to 800 B.C.; (2) A Brahmanistic Period from 800 B.C. to the Mohammedan invasion about 1000 A.D.; and (3) An Arabic Period, from 1000 A.D. to the present day.

The Vedic Period is not remarkable for any very great scientific attainments, mainly due to the fact that medicine was practised by the Brahmins, or priestly class. The medical knowledge of that day is contained in the Ayur Veda, which the Hindoos believe to be the work of Brahma himself. It is divided into eight parts, which deal with primitive surgery, poisons and their antidotes, or the treatment laid down consists largely of prayers, spells, etc., for the purpose of driving out the demons of disease.

In the Brahmanistic Period Hindoo medicine was placed upon a more scientific basis, largely because its practice had passed from the hands of the priests into the hands of a high mixed caste of physicians. The great men of this period were Charaka and Susruta, whose work dominates Hindoo medicine down to the present day. The physicians of this period were carefully chosen and very carefully trained, and a large part of the high attainments of medical science in India was due to these facts, together (continued on Page 3.)

ONTARIO CLUB'S PARTY TONIGHT

Skating and Dancing are the Attractions.

At eight o'clock this evening, on the Campus rink, the Ontario Club will begin their social programme for 1922. As a number of R. V. C. girls are expected to be on hand with their skates and dancing shoes, an evening of genuine enjoyment is in store for those who are lucky enough to be born in Ontario.

The dancing itself is proving a drawing card for those who do not skate. Music will be supplied by a two piece Ontario orchestra, and the refreshments by a caterer. It will start at ten o'clock and continue for at least an hour and a half. As it is necessary to find out the number for which to cater, all those who intend going have been asked to give their names to their faculty representatives or to Rumble, who is managing the affair.

It is planned to hold a dance in about a month's time, and a definite announcement will very likely be made this evening.

The Cluster (Mercer) carries, in a recent number, an interesting article that includes some of the original rules of the university. Among them was a rule against any person on the campus selling, or having in his possession, tobacco in any form. Any student guilty of such offense was severely punished by the faculty. Another prohibition was that no intoxicating drinks should be permitted; nor was any one allowed to have any game that bordered on gambling. Even billiards were taboo. Of interest also are two other specified games that were barred; they were E. C. and A. B. C. tables. These must have been very common in other days, but the writer must admit that he never heard of them.

A FLAT REMARK.

"It's plain to be seen," said the explorer, as he stood on the edge of the prairie.

WHAT'S ON

TO-DAY

- 1.00—Maritime-Western Club Exec.
- 1.00—Arts '23 Meeting, Room 7.
- 1.30—Students' Council Picture at Notman's.
- 1.30—Athletic Association Picture at Notman's.
- 5.00—Junior (C) basketball practice, Molson Hall.
- 5.15—Hockey practice, Mount Royal Arena.
- 7.45—Seniors vs. Central Y, Basketball, Highlander's Gym.
- 7.45—Intermed. (B) vs. Macdonald Coll. Staff, Molson Hall.
- 8.00—Intermed. (A) vs. M.A.A.A., Peel St.
- 8.00—Junior (A) vs. Victoria Rifles, Armoury of V. R's.
- 8.00—Ontario Club.
- 8.15—Western Club Smoker.

COMING

- February 10. Union Informal.
- February 11. McGill vs. U. of M.
- February 17. McGill vs. Toronto.

WESTERN CLUB WILL HOLD A SMOKER

To Meet at 8.15 To-night in Union.

PROGRAMME ARRANGED.

Prof. Leacock and Mr. Munn to be Present.

The Western Club will be honored at their meeting to-night by the presence of two distinguished guests, viz. Professor Stephen Leacock and Mr. W. J. Munn. Both of these gentlemen have consented to speak. No one who hails from West of Ontario, whether he is a Club member or not, should miss this special opportunity of hearing them. It will be a great privilege to hear Professor Leacock relate in his own humorous way, some incidents of his recent tour of England. Mr. Munn, a prominent man from British Columbia, who is at present staying in Montreal, will probably have something interesting to say about conditions out West.

The meeting will take the form of a smoker, and social evening, although there is important business to be discussed in connection with the Maritime-Western Dance. Accordingly all those members who wish to attend the annual dance are specially requested to be present. An orchestra will be in attendance, and the fellows can find an outlet to their extra pep by singing songs. Smokes will be provided, and refreshments will be served at the end of what is hoped will be a most enjoyable social evening.

The value of these smokers in College life is unique, especially at McGill, where there are no dormitories, and opportunities for meeting the fellows in other faculties are few. Now that the mid-term exams. are over everybody should feel free to turn out to-night to hear our special guests and to meet the other fellows from the West.

Everybody up, at 8.15 sharp, at the Union.

All members who wish to secure tickets for the Western-Maritime dance, which will be held on February 15, will be able to get them to-night from the secretary.

UNION INFORMAL ON FRIDAY NIGHT

Few Tickets Unsold May Still be Procured.

The repeated successes achieved at the informal dances, held in the Union, in the past, is an assurance to all who attend the informal dance this Friday, of spending a most enjoyable evening.

The exclusiveness enjoyed at these dances cannot be obtained elsewhere, and to anyone who contemplates spending an evening in dancing, the informal dances at the Union are the ideal functions to attend.

Judging by the number of tickets which have already been sold, this dance will be a decided success. The tickets, however, are limited, but there still happens to be a few left unsold. Those who intend to be present this Friday will do well to procure their tickets at once.

SKIERS HELD JUMP TESTS YESTERDAY

Five Men Successful in Proficiency Tests.

CLOSE CONTESTS

Team Leaves This Morning for Dartmouth, and Will Compete Saturday

The jumping contests of the McGill Ski Club, took place yesterday afternoon, at the Montreal Ski Club jumps, on Cote des Neiges. It was ideal weather for contests, but the snow was rather wet and sticky, thereby causing the jumpers great injustice in the proficiency tests. The number of entries were encouraging, and the men chosen to represent the Club at Dartmouth this week end, will positively give a good account of themselves, and will surely bring more honors to McGill, judging by their form yesterday afternoon. The following entered the contests:

A. O. Leslie,
E. Sherrard,
A. Glen,
A. Gravel,
F. Whittall,
B. Nutting,
H. E. Smith.

There were three jumps made by each contestant, the distances were measured, but on account of the bad condition of the snow, and in fairness to all, no points were awarded for distance jumping, although one contestant jumped a distance of about 80 feet.

Twenty points were awarded for style, and so many points were taken for the various mistakes made in jumping. Thus it will be seen that a fair method of awarding points was adopted.

M. C. Tolleisen acted as judge.

The following men leave this morning for Dartmouth, and will have two days to practice on the Dartmouth jumps before the final contests on Saturday:

Gravel,
Sherrard,
Leslie,
Whittall,
Glen.

On Thursday morning, the remainder of the Ski contestants and the Snow Shoe team, will leave for Dartmouth.

FINAL PRACTICE FOR BALL TEAMS

Schedule for Third Round of Inter-class League.

There will be a light work-out for the two McGill City League teams this evening at the High School at 6 p.m. This will be the last practice before the commencement of the City League on Thursday, Feb. 9th, when the McGill Reds make the trip to Macdonald College to play the Staff, while the Whites meet the Macdonald Students on their home floor.

The team captains will be chosen this evening, and the following men should be out:

McGill Reds.
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The draw for the third round of the Interclass League was made last evening, and the schedule for the third round will be as follows:

Feb. 10th—Comm. '22 vs. Sci. '23.
Feb. 14th—Med. '26 vs. Med. '24.
Feb. 21st—Comm. '23 vs. Law '23.

All these teams are very evenly matched, and very close games should result. As a limited number of spectators are allowed to witness the games, the classes interested should turn out and help their team to win.

A SUFFICIENCY.

A caboose, Dorothy, is a utility car attached to the rear of a freight train. By the way, Dorothy, your question recalls a little story. One warm summer day Mrs. Murphy was sweeping off her piazza when Mrs. Carr, the engineer's wife, came along carrying her latest baby, the 10th.

"Arrah, now, Mrs. Carr," cried Mrs. Murphy, "and there ye are up and around again with another little Carr." "Yes, Norah," said the engineer's wife, "another little Carr it is, and as far as I am concerned I pray the Lord it's the caboose."

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THE ART OF BEING LAZY.

This is indeed a strange title with which to grace an editorial in this time of 20th century efficiency systems, memory courses, and all sorts of get-mentally-rich-quick devices. Really, we should exhort the student to emulate the example of the busy little bee, or of the diminutive ant, who staggers manfully along under a load many times his own size. Solomon, during a lull in his matrimonial disturbances, commended the industrious ways of this tiny creature to his readers, and ever since then the ant has been a widespread emblem of industry.

However, it is sometimes well to stop worrying about the golden minutes as they pass silently along; they are important, but it is just as important that we should take time to think. It is in this sense that our title was suggested. Pure laziness is an abominable characteristic, but a quiet, thoughtful period of rest now and then is more of a necessity than a luxury. The man who can take time to tip back his chair occasionally and dreamily watch the blue clouds of fragrant tobacco smoke float upwards from his pipe may appear to be just lazy, but from these "pipe dreams," as they are called, may spring a thought or an ideal that may be grasped upon and moulded into some enduring work of art or literature that some day will prove of great benefit to humanity.

There is another aspect to this question. The man who has time to stop and talk with his brother man will learn much from their mutual intercourse. The interchange of ideas stirs up the intellect; problems will be seen from different viewpoints; intellect will be broadened and the man will find as time goes on that this genial friendship with his fellow beings is profitable as well as pleasurable.

It is by thought that we are enabled to order our lives well and wisely, and it is by association with our fellow men that we learn the wonder and beauty of friendship. If we have neither time to think nor to cultivate friendship, our lives will not count for much even if we have not wasted any golden minutes. Let our golden minutes be divided equally between work, thought and friendship, then will our lives be well rounded out; profitable to others as well as to ourselves.

EDITORIAL NOTE.

The editorial policy of the Daily requires no justification in these columns; but it might be mentioned, in reference to a letter appearing in this issue, that it always has been the endeavor of the McGill Daily to achieve its ends by "boosting," rather than by "knocking," and that when criticism has been entered into regarding any organization around college, it has been so far as possible in a constructive vein. It was to help, not to deter. Therefore such an expression of opinion as to-day is to be found in the correspondence column occasions a degree of surprise, not quite amounting to disappointment.

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Correspondents are requested to observe the unwritten law of the newspaper office—that they write upon ONE SIDE of the paper ONLY.

No communication will be admitted in this column without the name of the writer being attached, not necessarily for PUBLICATION.

The Editor,
McGill Daily,

Dear Sir,

I should like to call attention to what appears to be a case of rank discrimination and poor sportsmanship on the part of some members of the Executive of the Ski Club. I refer to the selection of the team to represent McGill at Dartmouth this week.

In the eliminations on Saturday, for the selection of the team for the cross-country race, the competitors were given distinctly to understand that the first two to finish would be the ones to go to Dartmouth. It now appears that the fourth man to finish has been chosen instead of No. 2 the lame excuse being that he went wrong on the course and lost time getting back to it. As a matter of fact the second man to finish also lost time, but not through any failure to keep his eyes open for the flags mapping the course, but on account of a traffic hold-up, so that the relative positions of No. 2 and No. 4 would be unaltered. In spite of all this, when the starters were plainly told that the first two to finish would be the team to represent McGill, it looks rather unsportsmanlike and smacks of narrow Faculty spirit, seeing that No. 2 is a Med. and No. 4 a Science man, as are also the chief office-holders in the Club. Incidentally, we might inquire why No. 3 was not considered. Perhaps he was not in the right faculty either.

At any rate, Mr. Editor, on the face of it, a gross injustice seems to have been done to two men, if my information is correct, and I believe it is. May we have some further light on the subject.

Yours for McGill,
FAIR-PLAY.

To the Editor,
McGill Daily.

Dear Sir:

It is very regrettable and, should we say, typical of the policy of the McGill Daily that when short of material for their Editorial columns, they should descend to attack some college organization before attempting any investigation of the facts.

The writer of the Editorial in question confesses to ignorance of the Officers of the McGill Canadian Club, though these officers were elected at a formal meeting of the Society and the results of the elections published in the Daily. The writer of the Editorial then takes it upon himself to make statements with regard to the non-activity of the club without ever having consulted any of the Executive.

In preceding years, the McGill Canadian Club has existed under very adverse conditions. Not only have they been faced with the difficulty of securing speakers, but when speakers were secured, they received such a cold reception that it was felt that only the most prominent men would attract the students. Last year, for example, at two out of the three meetings, there were less than one hundred students present. This year it has, therefore, been the policy of the Club to try and secure outstanding speakers who would be assured of a proper audience. To this end the Executive have been in communication with the following:—His Excellency The Governor General; Earl Beatty; Right Honourable A. J. Balfour; Sir Harry Lauder; Mr. McKenzie King; The Right Honourable Mr. Meighen and others.

For various reasons, none of the above mentioned speakers were able to address the Club. The Executive is at present corresponding with several prospective speakers.

The foregoing information has been at the disposal of any student taking intelligent and active interest in the affairs of the Club, and could have been obtained from any member of the Executive.

It therefore seems unfortunate that the McGill Daily considers that the best way to further the interests of the various clubs at McGill lies in a groundless and unjust personal attack on the Executive of each organization.

Yours truly,

H. B. O'Heir,

W. W. Davis.

A school teacher somewhat inclined to analyzing young minds, asked all the boys in a class to write a short composition on the subject of "What I would do if I had \$50,000."

One youth sat idly dreaming until the papers were called for, when he turned in a blank sheet.

"John," demanded the teacher "what does this mean? Where is your composition?"

"That's it on the sheet," said he. "That's what I would do if I had \$50,000."

Taylor—That coat is too short for you.

Youth—Well, it will be long enough before I get another one.

WESTERN PROF. DISCUSSES LAW SCHOOLS

Deplores the Conditions Which Exist.

J. T. HEBERT

Says that Standards of Schools are Low.

In an article entitled "An Unsolicited Report of Legal Education in Canada" in a recent number of the Canadian Law Times, Professor J. T. Hebert, of the Faculty of Law in the University of Saskatchewan, comments in disparaging terms upon existing conditions. A portion of this article, which will be of interest to those who are contemplating law, is as follows:

"In Canada, Dalhousie Law School at Halifax, King's College Law School at St. John, McGill Law School at Montreal, Osgoode Hall Law School at Toronto, Manitoba Law School at Winnipeg, Wetmore Hall at Regina, the College of Law of the University of Saskatchewan at Saskatoon, and the Alberta Law School with branches at Edmonton and Calgary, all offer courses in English and Canadian law, but the extent to which they are fulfilling their avowed object of producing sound lawyers is doubtful.

"The unpleasant truth is that the standards of our law schools are very low, and the coarseness of those who compare any of them with the great American schools—Harvard, Columbia, Chicago, North-western, Yale, Michigan, etc., is pathetically absurd. No doubt they are as efficient as most of the 'cheap proprietary diploma mills' or many of the night schools which infest the United States—a poor recommendation indeed—but there is simply no comparison between them and the better class American school. Nor is the difference to be accounted for by size; we have one school larger than some of the schools mentioned above, and there are a number of small schools in the United States which have attained a high degree of excellence.

"The unsatisfactory situation in Canada is due to three main causes: first, the lack of a teaching corps of permanent professors; second, the too short college year and the want of full time courses during the present year; and third, the out-of-date and unscientific method of instruction prevailing. These three defects are closely interrelated, for the appointment of permanent professors of the right type will result in full time courses and in the adoption of the modern method of teaching law.

"There is little hope of advance along these lines in the schools controlled by the law societies, but the various University Law Schools are making a beginning in the right direction. There should, however, be no rivalry between the Law Societies and the Universities, the forces of legal education cannot afford to be divided, and it is submitted that it would be in the best interests of legal education in Canada if the various Law Societies were to hand over to the Universities the whole training of lawyers in substantive law, retaining for themselves only the right of examining candidates in practice and procedure."

"In the remainder of his article, Professor Hebert contends that as far as possible the lectures should be given by permanent professors owing undivided allegiance to the school, that the length of the school year be lengthened, that there should be three years of study "divorced entirely from the entangling alliance of a law office," and lastly, and this point is discussed at much length, that the "case system" be adopted as the basis of study. It may be said without exaggeration that Saskatchewan students, however short their term, and however morassed in the cares of law offices, are at least not entirely unacquainted with the case system.

A DIRE DISEASE.

"Printing and paper are so dear in Russia," said Theodore Dreiser, the novelist at a Greenwich village luncheon, "that Russian writers, instead of publishing their works, read them aloud in public halls. I suppose we'll be coming to that some day."

"For authors are now in a bad way. The cost of production is too much for them. The average printer who sets up an author's book makes ever so much more money than the author himself does."

"Two women were talking the other day over their cigarettes and tea."

"So your brother is a writer? Fancy!" said the first woman.

"George writes," the second woman answered with a yawn.

"How jolly! and what does he write for?" went on the first woman.

"Dear knows! And the second woman yawned again. 'I suppose it's a disease.'"

We notice from the Technician that the Student Government of N. C. State College has drawn up a Code of Customs by means of which they hope to create "on the campus a better and greater State College spirit." These rules will be enforced by what is known as a Court of Customs, comprised of three Seniors, two Juniors, and two Sophomores.

ATHLETIC UNION OF CAN. UNIVERSITIES

Now Being Considered by the Different Colleges.

The formation of an Intercollegiate Athletic Union of Canada, embracing all the Universities of the Dominion, will probably be accomplished within the next few weeks. This proposal, the adoption of which will mark a great development in the relations of Canadian Universities with one another, is at present receiving consideration from leaders in Varsity sport, both East and West. Alec. H. Paul, President of the Athletic Directorate of the University of Saskatchewan, and W. Whittaker, one of Saskatchewan's representatives on the Board of Governors of the W. C. I. A. U., are favorably inclined toward the proposal.

The next development is expected to come from McGill, where Dr. A. S. Lamb is understood to be engaged in the preparation of a constitution, which will be submitted to the C. I. A. U., the W. C. I. A. U., and the Universities of Eastern Canada. The proposal is that all Canada be divided for the purposes of the New Union into three districts: East, Centre, and West. The following principles have been accepted as the guiding principles to be embodied in the constitution:

1. Each division is to control its own affairs in the same manner as a branch of the A.A.U. of C.

2. Each division shall have its own local constitution, but an effort should be made to secure uniformity where possible.

3. The national body is to have a Board of Governors, appointed by the divisions, and is to be in affiliation with the A. A. U. of Canada.

The proposal to form a Dominion organization along these lines originate with a member of the C.I.A.U., who was present at the meeting of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada at which a representative of the Western Universities appeared to apply for affiliation. G. B. Langford, formerly of Alberta, and now of Toronto, made the application on behalf of the W. C. I. A. U., and when the Eastern representatives offered their suggestion he quickly entered into negotiations with them.

JOURNALISTIC COURSE IN UNIV. OF KANSAS

"Critical Writing," is the name of a new course that has been established this year in the department of Journalism. The course is being given, members of the journalism faculty say, to enable the prospective journalists to know what they are writing about when they are assigned to review dramatics, music, books, and art when they are graduated and out in the world working.

The course will be handled by four instructors in the journalism department, each taking four weeks. Dr. Helen O. Mahin will teach the art of book reviewing for the first four weeks; art and artistic criticism will be handled by Prof. L. N. Flint, chairman of the department; dramatics by Prof. F. W. Dillon; music and musical criticism the last four weeks under Prof. W. A. Dill.

A new one hour course in proof-reading is also being offered this year—"Daily Kansan."

OXFORD FOLLOWS NEW TENDENCIES.

Women Now Admitted to Nearly All Colleges of University.

Oxford, once a conventional old Church of England College, now has chairs in Engineering, Forestry, and Biochemistry, and confers degrees upon women. These are but a few of the many changes pointed out by Mr. Herbert W. Horwill, in "Changing Oxford," an article which lately appeared in "The Churchman."

Less than fifty years ago Summer-town was a little village reached by a country walk. To-day it is a suburb alive with motorcycles and with motor busses. Where once substantial good old English homes stood, now college buildings have been erected. The old Oxford, with its well-known surroundings, is a thing of the past; Oxford the progressive has come into sway.

Spiritual and intellectual Oxford also has undergone a rapid change. There are chairs now of Engineering, Forestry, and Biochemistry and like subjects which forty years ago were either thought to be inferior to the readerships and lectureships, or were ignored entirely. A statute has recently been passed for a final honor school of "The Modern Greats"—Philosophy, Politics and Economics.

In the last quarter of a century the new degrees of B. Litt., D. Litt., B. Sc., and D. Sc., have been instituted for the benefit of research lovers, and a final degree of Ph.D. has recently been instituted, a degree for research work hitherto unknown in the United Kingdom.

A noteworthy and important change in the curriculum at Oxford is the abolition of compulsory Greek for a degree. This change, along with the recognition of research work, will undoubtedly influence many individuals for whom the old Oxford held no attractions, to go to the Oxford of today.

PEPPYS AT MCGILL



Tuesday, Feb. 7th. Not a witt the worse for my rollickings of last night, the reason for which happy chance I take to be that I in no-wise mingled my liquors, which is an adage that should be well taken to heart by every honest man. A little put aback by the attitude of certain among my fellows, who seek to make a mock of my newly gotten titles; some of them going to such lengths as to call out to me in the hall-ways, "How goes it Your Lordship," or some much piece of foolishness, which rangles not a little, in that I am more than a little proud of my rightful degrees. This afternoon some few hours after noon two of our men came might to being smothered by the fall of a great fragement of the ceiling-board in our smoking-room descending upon their pates, and, Lord, it is a great wonder that more mishaps do not chance to the unwary, so venerable is our building now become.

Two Scotchmen had wandered south of the Tweed for the first time. They had strolled into an English church. Service was in progress at the time, and the pair seated themselves. One of them picked up a prayer book and casually turned over the leaves. Suddenly his face assumed a look of deep concern. "Look, Sandy," he said, turning to his friend, "Collect, Collect, Collect. Mon, we maun get out o' here or we wilna hae a babbee left."

OUCH!

"You seem to hate that fellow Smith," said Brown. "What is the trouble between you and him?"

"I introduced him to my wife the other day," replied Jones, "and the gaby boob had to say: 'Why, I thought that the lady you were with in New York was your wife.'"

Hot—How long is eternity? Shot—Well it's this way. Suppose an English sparrow with one leg were to take one drop of water from the Atlantic ocean and were to hop to the Pacific at the rate of one hop per day and then were to hop back at the same rate, get another drop and so on until the Atlantic were dry—man, the time consumed would not be a drop in the bucket as compared to eternity.

We understand that there is a fellow down in Brown county, Ind., who has never used a telephone. He's fortunate.

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The boxing bouts with the M. A. A. A. on Saturday are causing a great deal of interest around the college. The best that the Red and White possess, will meet the Peel street best and fur should fly in plenty. The college boxers have been seen in action many a time but little is known of Winged Wheelers.

One of the best men who will wear the M. A. A. A. colours is Harry Turner in the 115 lb. class. He was captain of the Olympic team which visited Antwerp in 1920 but has not been boxing in competition since that time owing to poor eyesight. He is a very aggressive boxer and for a man of his weight (112 lbs.) has a very strong punch.

In the 125 lb. class the club has two exceptionally good men in Micky McGown and Louis Detner. Both these men were city champions last year; Micky McGown winning the 125 lb. class and Detner the lightweight title. This year to the surprise of many he has knocked off over ten pounds and now tips the scales at 126 lb. Both these men are boxing with the Wheelers for the first time. McGown is fast, very fast, and also is a hitter of no mean ability while his partner has not lost any of his power through losing his weight.

Bert Light will represent them in the lightweight division. He may be remembered for his skillful three rounds with Edelberg at the Union smock last fall. He is a two-handed fighter and is able to make his feet work with his hands and has remarkable speed. It is very likely that his opponent, will be Frank Shackell who is noted for his terrible punches. This bout promises to be one of the closest contests of the evening as both men are candidates for higher honours in the Provincial or even Dominion Championships.

To meet "Windy" Brewer, Neil Cameron has been chosen.

Grimsdale was to have fought in this class but he broke his hand in a recent work-out and will not be able to fight. Cameron however is a tough nut to crack. He is a noted athlete and before the war won several championships. He is a veteran at the game and is expected to give our champion a good run.

Abinovich, the 158 lb. college champion, will be up against Harry Montague. Both are scrappers of the first water but the university student is the more able boxer while his adversary is more of a fighter.

In the 108 lb. division Frankie Kemp of the Peel street squad has withdrawn on account of a broken hand sustained in the championships last year. The man who will fill his place has not been chosen. The other weights are yet to be picked.

"I want to be sure, Eliza that you use the thermometer to see that the water is the right temperature when you give the baby his bath," said Mrs. Blinks to her nurse girl.

"Land sakes!" replied Eliza cheerfully, "I don't need no thermometer. If the baby turns red I know the water's too hot, and if he turns blue I know it's too cold—and there you are!"

INTER-FACULTY HOCKEY RESULTS

Medicine and Commerce Winners in Yesterday's Games.

The Commerce hockey team defeated the Arts team by 3 to 0, in an inter-faculty game yesterday afternoon. Commerce team took the lead from the start, when Stearns got a goal in on Amaron and shortly after repeated the deed. Arts very nearly scored a number of times, but due to the watchfulness of Drummond, were unable to get one in during the whole game. Robertson was responsible for the only goal in the second period.

The line-up:—

Commerce.	Arts.
Goal.	
Drummond	Amaron
Defence.	
Robertson	Craik
Goldie	Moore
Centre.	
Stearns	Hope
Forwards.	
Murphy	Cantley
Gallery	Johnson
Subs.	
Martin	Harris
Lazier	Hall
Smith.	
Burke.	

Immediately following this game, the Medicine and Dentistry teams played, Medicine winning by four goals to three. Parlow got three goals for the Meds., and Charland saved the Dents. from a whitewash, as he was the only scorer on that side. This game was close, and well contested, the teams being more evenly matched than the teams of the previous game.

The line-up:—

Medicine.	Dentistry.
Goal.	
Harris	Langley
Defence.	
Hamilton	Lee
Boyle	Marion
Forwards.	
Menzies	Charland
Wilkin	Orr
Parlow	Grant

SWIMMING MEET LESS THAN TWO WEEKS OFF

With the Intercollegiate Swimming Meet less than two weeks off, all members of the team are practicing hard for their events. The college will have an opportunity to see them in action against Toronto on the 17th and 18th, that is, a week from next Friday and Saturday. At each practice newcomers are given an opportunity to show their ability and under the watchful eye of Mr. Vernot, defects are speedily remedied.

Any man who can do anything in the swimming line, either short or long distances or plunging, is asked to make it snappy and turn out with the regulars for the next practice. So don't forget, Thursday at 5.15 in the Central Y tank. There is still time.

McGill University and Mount Union College, Alliance, Ohio, each claim the honor for originating basketball. Mount Union claims 1892 as the opening year for the sport on her courts. McGill claims that one of her alumnae invented the game after a deliberate attempt to find an indoor sport. At first nine men were used and later, seven; when the skill of the men had increased the number was further cut to five.

HOCKEY TEAM IN WORKOUT WITH U.A.A.

Prepare for Return Game With U. of M.

FAST SCRIMMAGE.

Flanagan Suffering With Injured Shoulder — Others in Top Form.

Recuperating from the gruelling contest with Queens on Saturday night, the hockey team yesterday afternoon engaged in the first strenuous workout of the week in preparation for the return game with the University of Montreal on the 11th. The players, with the possible exception of Flanagan, showed no ill effects of the struggle with the invading Kingston six; in fact, the hard-earned victory coming after two straight defeats seems to have instilled the necessary confidence into the Red and White puck chasers, and they showed a great deal of enthusiasm when they lined up against a number of U. A. A. A. players for over an hour of scrimmage.

Shag gave Dempsey and McGerrigle a holiday yesterday. These two youngsters played a plucky game against Queens on Saturday, and lasted the entire ninety minutes of play without a single substitution; and the McGill mentor is taking no chances on his defence going stale. Flanagan's shoulder still continues to give him no end of trouble, and he was instructed by Shaughnessy to "take things easy." Flin's idea of taking things easy was to score only one goal in the first half hour of play. But the injury does not seem to be responding to treatment as well as was expected, and it is a question whether the gritty athlete will be able to get back into his usual form.

McNaughton, of the intermediates, and Matty Dineen, filled in on the defence, while Flanagan, Anderson and Lynch composed the wing line.

"Boo" seems to improve every time he steps out on the ice. The sturdy centre brought joy to the heart of the coach by his speedy skating and clever stickhandling, and what is particularly pleasing, is the fact that his shooting is far more accurate, at present, than it has been all season. Boo succeeded in finding the U. A. A. A. net three times in quick order during the first thirty minutes of play.

Frank McGill, who some years ago represented the institution bearing the same name, Bill Lyall, of last year's Senior squad, and Home, played on the forward line for the graduates, and Bill got by Stenson twice.

Reports from the U. A. A. A. camp indicate that the Frenchmen are at top form. The Lamarre brothers and Desbien, who starred against McGill are representing the National Club in the City League, and will be in condition to show their best on Saturday night. The Arena authorities have already announced a large demand for seats, and are preparing to accommodate a capacity crowd.

PLAYETTES GIVEN BY DELTA SIGMA

This Afternoon at 3 P.M., in R. V. C.

The Delta Sigma Society will give their annual plays to-day at three o'clock in the common room. A short play of one act will be given by each of the four years. The various castes have been working very hard within the last week and all the plays promise to be very good. The playettes are of a very varied character and will undoubtedly furnish a very enjoyable afternoon. In past years the meeting at which the plays have been given has always proved one of the best meetings of the year and those who stay away are sure, when it is too late to hear that they have missed one of the best things in the year. A crowded house is therefore expected, to-day at three in the Common Room.

PUBLIC SPEAKING.

There are six rules that every public speaker who would be successful should follow, according to the Hon. Albert Beveridge, who spoke at Evansville College this spring.

"Speak only when you have something to say."

"Be so plain, so simple in your language and statement that the duller person may understand clearly."

"In your speech be so just that your worst opponent will say you are fair."

"Say nothing that you do not honestly believe."

"Stop when you get through."

In regard to delivery, he said, "Be quiet; have a self-mastery; gesture only when the impulse comes from within; be a gentleman; show emotion only when sincerely moved; dress with neatness and care."

Mr. Beveridge condemned back-biting in public speaking. "Denunciation of the other fellow is cheap stuff."

"Consider your audience as a big person—a composite person. Talk to them conversationally."

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ALPHA DELTS WIN FRAT. HOCKEY GAME

Fast Game Played Last Night on Bad Ice.

In an inter-frat. hockey fixture last night Delta Upsilon and Alpha Delta Phi went to the mat in a game that very much resembled golf or ping-pong. Good hockey was out of the question, since a healthy layer of snow covered the ice and best part of the time the players had to be content with batting the puck ahead of them. However, the play was at all times fast, with an odd flash or two of combination, though most of the passes were intercepted. Both goalies were good, Hold, of the D. U.'s, having about four times as many shots as Norm. Wallace, of the A.D.'s. The whole A.D. team showed up to advantage, Williamson and Hall playing an excellent game on the defence while Marpole, Fredericks and Chisholm, were very fast on the forward line. For the D. U.'s Gammell appeared to be the best all-round man, being in on most of the rushes, and back-checking hard. Hutcherson and McLeod on the defence, also showed up well. In the first half play was fairly even, when after ten minutes Fredericks slammed in the first goal. A few minutes before the close of the period Chisholm put in another, so that at half-time the score stood 2-0 for A.D. The second half was slightly faster than the first, and towards the end the Delta Upsilon shot their whole team up the ice in an endeavor to score, but without success. When the dust and wreckage was cleared away and the two teams came up for air, the score stood 3-0 for the Alpha Deltas, with the odd goal slipped in by Fredericks.

The line-up was as follows:

Goal	
Wallace	Hold
Centre	
Marpole	Ross
Wings.	
Chisholm	Gammell
Fredericks	Abbott
Defence	
Williamson	Hutcherson
Hall	McLeod
Subs	
Douglas	Rutherford
Annable	Galt
Seagram	Mulligan

NATIONAL DEBATING

Announcement of the plans for the Western Inter-Varsity debates suggests the possibility of arranging for a debate next year between East and West.

In 1920 the Manitoba track team made the long trip to Toronto and acquitted themselves creditably in competition with McGill, Queen's, Toronto and the Royal Military College.

The expense of sending athletic teams is, however, very great, and such trips must for a long time to come continue to be the event of a decade.

With debating the case is entirely different. A team of two can make the trip at an expense which can be met by the ordinary debating revenues.

We know how much our Western Inter-Varsity sports have meant to us in the elimination of a narrow self-satisfied spirit of provincialism. How much more would it mean to us and to our fellow Canadians in eastern universities for men of the West to meet men of the East on a common platform to debate some question of national importance?

Anything which helps to bring us together as a nation is to be desired. We submit that the holding of a national debate between East and West could be justified upon this ground alone. We do not know whether any workable plan can be devised which will include all Canada, from Nova Scotia to British Columbia, but one which extends from Alberta to McGill goes most of the way. We suggest that the Western Inter-Collegiate Debating League endeavor to make some arrangement.

Registration Officer (to spinster) —

"Your name, please."

Spinster—"Matilda Brown."

Registration Officer—"Age?"

Miss Brown—"Have the Misses Hill, who live next door, given you their ages?"

Registration Officer—"No."

Miss Brown—"Well, then, I'm the same age as they."

Registration Officer—"That will do."

Proceeding to fill in all particulars, he murmured: "Miss Brown, as old as the Hills."

DR. WHITNALL ENTERTAINED OSLER SOCIETY

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with a very high system of medical ethics.

The great weakness of medicine and surgery was the lack of exact knowledge of anatomy; hence diseases instead of being referred to organs and symptoms, were considered to result from derangement of one of their elements; air, phlegm or bile, of which the body was thought to be composed. There were many kinds of each of these elements, and each sort gave rise to its own diseases, hence the total number of ailments described was enormous. The treatment of disease was carried out by regulation of the diet, by medicines or by charms, prayers and so forth. The native

pharmacopoeia was very extensive and very original; it contained drugs of animal, vegetable, and mineral origin. The mineral drugs are worthy of note as their preparation presupposes some knowledge of chemistry.

Prevention of disease was of equal importance with treatment, and was rendered very effective by the religious rules of the Brahmins. Personal cleanliness and regulations of the diet were especially insisted upon and of the greatest importance in limiting disease.

Surgery was the highest art of Hindoo physicians, and many operations which they regularly performed are looked upon nowadays as triumphs of modern science. Their greatest achievements were in the line of lithotomy, laparotomy and plastic surgery.

Susruta, who lived about 500-600 B.C., mentions 121 instruments, including forceps, saws, knives, tro-

cars, needles and syringes. It is said that Hindoo surgery included every known surgical procedure except the use of the ligature.

Obstetrics and gynecology were not greatly developed and seem to have been left in the hands of midwives.

The Mohammedan invasion of India occurred about 1000 A.D., and from that time forward little medical progress was made, and much good work was undone — notably, a system of public hospitals erected by the Buddhist kings came to an end.

Indian medicine influenced that of the Greeks, after the march of Alexander the Great, as is shown by the writings of Greek historians and Greek physicians, and the Arabs and others who traded with India over the great caravan routes, carried Indian methods of combatting disease into Asia Minor and Southern and Western Europe.

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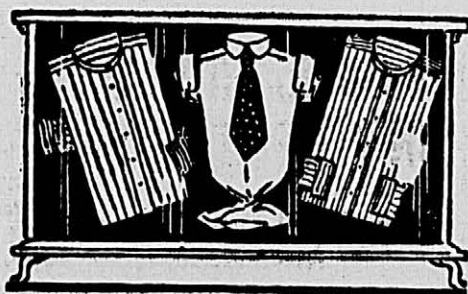
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NOTICES

BASKETBALL AND HOCKEY TEAMS.

Will all members of the R. V. C. basketball and hockey teams, including spares, attend a meeting in Room 12, R.V.C., at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

This is an extremely important meeting for the Senior teams.

NOTICE.

There will be a hockey team practice at 3 o'clock sharp to-day, Wednesday. Will the following girls turn out on time.

Rough,
Foley,
Roy,
Kerr,
Snyder,
Campbell,
Robertson,
Elliot,
Hill,
Grant,
Longworth,
Burland,
Pritchard,
Hutchison,
Evans.

R. V. C. S. C. A.

The Women's S. V. B. and the S. C. A. Mission Class will meet to-day at 5.15 p.m. R.V.C. Room 106. Everyone invited.

LOST.

An Eversharp pencil with "Constance Haight" engraved on it. Finder please leave in Porter's Office, R.V.C.

JUNIOR HOCKEY PRACTICE.

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NOTICE.

Intermediate "A" play M.A.A.A. at 8.00 p.m. in the Peel Street gym.
Intermediate "B" play Macdonald College staff in Molson Hall 8 p.m.
Junior "A" play Victoria Rifles at their Armory at 8 p.m.
Junior "C" practice at Molson Hall, 5 p.m.

ANNUAL PHOTOS

The following clubs and societies have neglected to make their appointments with Notman to get their photos taken for the Annual. Will the secretaries kindly see that this is done at once? Make the appointments as early as possible.

Arts Undergrad, Science Undergrad, Theologs, Students' Council, Union House Committee, Law Undergrads, Athletic Assn., Senior Rugby and Exec., Senior Hockey and Exec., Gymnastic Club, Literary and Debating Society, Cercle Francais, Metallurgical Society, Electrical Society, Mining Society, C.O.T.C., McGill Orchestra, Mandolin Club, Maccabean Circle.

ONTARIO CLUB

Grand skating party on the Campus Rink to-night. Refreshments later at Strathcona Hall. All Ontario students invited.

NOTICE.

Tickets for the McGill-U. of T. hockey game on Friday, Feb. 17th, are on sale at the Union.

NOTICE.

A few tickets are still available for the informal dance to be held next Friday evening, and may be obtained from the Union porter.

BOXERS.

Owing to the close proximity of the Assault-at-Arms it is imperative that the boxers get more practice. Accordingly the following hours have been arranged for at Molson's Hall. Monday 5-6; Tues. 6-7; Wednesday, 7-8; Thurs. 5-7; Friday 7-8; Sat. 3-4. The coach will be on hand on Tues-Thurs., and Saturday, on the other days the men will work out by themselves.

ENGLISH RUGBY CLUB.

All equipment of the club has not yet been returned. Those persons possessing articles must return them today to the Union. A complete record of all equipment distributed in October is in the hands of the manager, so there is absolutely no chance of getting away with any of this kit.

COMMERCIAL SOCIETY.

On Wednesday Feb. 15th at 8 P.M., in the Lecture Theatre of the Chemistry Building Dr. Fowle will give an informal talk (to the Commercial Society) on trade with South America. Dr. Fowle has five sets of lantern slides which are well worth seeing.

MEETING.

There will be a meeting of the Athletic Association to-day, at five o'clock. The executive of the Interfraternity Hockey League are asked to attend this meeting.

WESTERN CLUB SMOKER.

To-night at 8.15, all McGill men from west of Ontario will be expected to meet at the Union. Excellent speakers, music, smokes and refreshments are assured, and all are cordially invited to attend this first meeting of the Western Club for the new year.

MANDOLIN CLUB.

On Friday, Feb. 24th, the Mandolin Club will play in the Montreal West Town Hall, co-operating with the Ladies' Glee Club of Montreal West in their annual concert. Following the concert programme a reception will be given the members of the Mandolin Club by the ladies of Montreal West. All members are requested to keep that evening free, so that the club may play at full strength.

ORCHESTRA.

There will be a practice of the Orchestra in the Union this evening, at seven o'clock sharp. All out.

NOMINATIONS.

Nominations for the following offices, signed by 25 students, will be received at the Office of the Secretary, Students' Council:

President Students' Council.
President Athletic Association.
President Union.
Vice-President Union.
Secretary Union.
President Rugby Club.
President Hockey Club.
President Track Club.

ARTS '23.

Class meeting at 1 p.m. Thursday, Room 7.

HOCKEY TEAMS.

There will be a practice of the senior, intermediate and junior hockey teams at the Mount Royal Arena at 5.15 o'clock this afternoon. The men on all of the teams are asked to especially note the change in the hour of the practice.

BASKETBALL.

The members of the Senior team are asked to be at the Highlander's Armouries tonight at a quarter to eight, sharp, for the game with Central Y.

ARTS '24 SLEIGH DRIVE.

All members of Arts '24 are requested to reserve Thursday evening, Feb. 9th, for the sleigh drive. The tickets are \$2. All meet at the Strathcona Hall at 8 o'clock. Drive will be followed by refreshments and dancing.

MARITIME - WESTERN.

It is absolutely essential that all members of the Executive of above-mentioned clubs be on hand for a short business meeting in the Union at 1 p.m., to-day.

J. C. SIMPTON,
Sec., Maritime Club.

PHYSICAL SOCIETY.

The next meeting of the Society will be held in the Macdonald Physics Building on February 10, at 5 p.m. Subject: "The Inside of a Star." Prof. Gillson.

L. A. SMITH,
Secretary.

All members of the Students' Council are requested to be at Notman's Studio to-day at 1.30, when the Council picture will be taken.

The picture of the Athletic Association will be taken to-day at Notman's studio at 1.30 p.m.

How times do change!

Only a few years ago, in 1888 to be exact, some of the rules that were printed for the guidance of the drivers of the Indianapolis street cars were:

"Never drive faster than a moderate trot under any circumstances."

"You must always bring your car to a full stop, pull the team back and hold a tight rein to take on or let off female passengers."

"Never go more than one-fourth of a block without looking back, both for the purpose of ascertaining whether are any passengers running for the car or whether there are any boys on the rear end (if so, ask them to get off)."

"Cheap as dirt" is just another one of those little jokes of the real estate man.

LEAGUE FORMED BY WESTERN COLLEGES

Andrews, of Manitoba, to be President.

Formation of a Western Canadian Inter-Collegiate Hockey League as a subordinate body of the W.C.I.A.U. is necessary in order to keep the Western Varsityes in good standing with the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, and steps will be taken at once to effect such an organization by correspondence.

Hockey men here consider that the officers during the first year should be at Winnipeg, where it is easier to keep in touch with the C.A.H.A. than in Saskatoon or Edmonton.

W. Broadfoot, manager of the Saskatchewan team, reports Bert Andrews, president of the Manitoba University Hockey Club, as the logical man for president of the inter-varsity league.

Mr. Andrews graduated from the University of Manitoba in 1910, and has taken a continued interest in varsity sport since then. For years he was one of the outstanding stars of Winnipeg hockey, as centre or rover for Wesley College, Varsity and Winnipeg. He was captain of all three, and in 1913 led the Winnipeg to victory in Allan Cup finals. He has always been an exponent of clean sport and pure amateurism, and the Western University League could have no better president. He has a high standing in his profession, and his name will carry weight in Eastern Canada.

Homer S. Robinson, vice-president of the Manitoba Athletic Council and manager of their hockey team for the past two seasons, is mentioned as a likely man for secretary-treasurer, and his appointment, it appears, would also give complete satisfaction here. Dr. Jasper Halpenny, of Winnipeg, donor of the trophy which Saskatchewan is defending, will undoubtedly be the honorary president. It is known that all three of these names are acceptable to the Manitoba Athletic Council, so that there is a practical certainty of their election.—The "Sheaf," University of Saskatchewan.

CAPITOL.

What's the Capitol like this week? "Wonderful" is the only possible answer. This worn-out word perfectly describes the whole performance. Three Lives Ghosts, from the play success of the same name is an extraordinary film. It is a very uncommon picture, not at all like the mother-love and divorce features that are flooding the market. The comedy, of which it abounds, is spontaneous and very fine.

It deals with three men home from the war who find that they are reported as dead. The mishaps that befall them are told in a way that gives genuine amusement. The picture has its serious side which is skillfully interwoven with the comedy in such a manner that makes it one of the most unusual and unique presentations that the Capitol has shown this season.

A Colonial Garden Party which is given as a prologue is an artistic piece of work. The setting is delicate and the dancing of Nell Quill is something which one scarcely sees, even in high class vaudeville.

The Pathe magazine and the comedy are also of a superior sort. Taken as a whole, nobody can complain of any part of this "happy" bill.

It is a tonic for any student who wants amusement that amuses.

Old Ebenezer was whitewashing his barn one morning with a brush that contained very few bristles. Colonel Judd happened to pass, and said:

"Why don't you get a brush with more bristles in it, Ebenezer?"

"What for, colonel?" asked the old man.

"What for?" shouted the colonel.

"Why, Ebenezer, if you had a brush with more bristles in it you could do twice as much work."

"Mebbe so, colonel, mebbe so," said the old negro placidly. "only, ye see, I ain't got twice as much work to do."

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